# TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

## FISCAL MEMORANDUM



HB 2738 - SB 2693

March 26, 2012

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (015234):** Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Prohibits the director of schools and the local board of education from using the abolition of a position as a means to avoid dismissal charges against a tenured teacher and the accompanying due process rights of such teachers.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

#### NOT SIGNIFICANT

#### FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

# Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- It is unknown if this prohibition will result in more dismissal cases being heard through the due process system for tenured teachers; however, any increase in the number of cases is estimated to be not significant. Any increase in state and local expenditures as a result of hearing more cases will be not significant.
- No change in the BEP funding formula.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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